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REMARKS

Claims 1-36 were previously pending. Applicant has canceled claims 1-18 and 20-34. Accordingly, claims 19, 35 and 36 are currently pending. Applicant thanks the Examiner for indicating that claims 35 and 36 are allowable. Applicant has amended dependent claim 36 to include the limitations of previously-pending Independent claim 19. Therefore, claims 35 and 36 should be allowed.

Applicant has also amended claim 19 to include the limitations of claim 20. For the reasons set forth below, Applicant believes that claim 19, as amended, is allowable.

Claim 19

Claim 19, as amended, recites that the "invisible light signals are reflected by each of said micromirrors through said lens at times when light from said primary light source is not reflected through said lens by said respective micromirror." That is, times when the micromirror device reflects light from the primary light source and times when the micromirror device reflects the invisible light signals are exclusive of each other. This feature was set forth in previously-pending claim 20, and, though the Examiner rejected previously-pending claim 20, the Examiner did not point to any specific prior art reference or portion thereof that allegedly discloses this feature. Applicant is unable to locate this feature in the cited prior art. Accordingly, Applicant submits that claim 19 is allowable.

Examiner's Reasons for Allowance

Applicant thanks the Examiner for allowing claims 35 and 36. Applicant points out, however, that the Examiner's reasons for allowance only address claim 35. Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner clarify her reasons for allowing claim 36.

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CONCLUSION

All objections and rejections having been addressed, it is respectfully submitted that the present Application is in condition for allowance and such action towards these ends is respectfully requested.

Any fees associated with the filing of this paper should be identified in any accompanying transmittal. Please charge Deposit Account No. 08-2025, under Order No. 200308970-1 from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

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Respectfully submitted,



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